

1 BY AUTHORITY

2  
3 RESOLUTION NO. CR12-0145  
4 SERIES OF 2012

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE:  
GOVERNMENT & FINANCE

5  
6 A RESOLUTION

7  
8 Amending Rule 5.6 of the the Denver City Council Rules of Procedure in regard to the  
9 determination of a quorum for purposes of committee voting.  
10

11 WHEREAS, § 3.3.2 of the Charter authorizes the City Council to make rules governing its  
12 procedures; and  
13

14 WHEREAS, sec. 13-11.5 (a)(2), D.R.M.C. provides that the Council may adopt or amend its  
15 rules of procedure by resolution.  
16

17 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF**  
18 **DENVER:**  
19

20 **Section 1.** That Rule 5.6 of the of the Denver City Council Rules of Procedure concerning  
21 committee action on bills and resolutions shall be amended by adding a new subsection (e), to read as  
22 follows:  
23

24 (e) *Committee quorum.* A simple majority of the appointed members of any  
25 committee shall constitute a quorum for purposes of taking action on any matter  
26 pending before a committee. If less than a majority of the appointed members of the  
27 committee are present at a meeting of a committee but the President is present at  
28 the meeting, the President shall be counted for purposes of establishing a quorum.  
29  
30

31 COMMITTEE APPROVAL DATE: N/A

32 MAYOR-COUNCIL DATE: N/A

33 PASSED BY THE COUNCIL \_\_\_\_\_ 2012  
34

1 \_\_\_\_\_ - PRESIDENT

2  
3 ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_ - CLERK AND RECORDER,  
4 EX-OFFICIO CLERK OF THE  
5 CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER  
6

7 PREPARED BY: David W. Broadwell, Asst. City Attorney; DATE: January 27, 2012

8 Pursuant to section 13-12, D.R.M.C., this proposed resolution has been reviewed by the office of the  
9 City Attorney. We find no irregularity as to form, and have no legal objection to the proposed  
10 resolution. The proposed resolution **is not** submitted to the City Council for approval pursuant to §  
11 3.2.6 of the Charter.  
12

13 Douglas J. Friednash, City Attorney

14 BY: \_\_\_\_\_

15 DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
16  
17  
18